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Method and System for Collaborating Among Interconnected Client Terminals

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Eleven (11) sheets of drawings.

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